

## Office of Personnel Management

## § 892.101

day following the end of the extension of coverage. The uniform plan shall be experience-rated.

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### § 891.502 Standards for carrier of uniform plan.

In the most recent year for which data are available, the carrier of the uniform plan shall have made at least 1 percent of all group health insurance benefit payments in the United States. If the carrier is an insurance company, it must be licensed to issue group health insurance in all the States of the United States and the District of Columbia.

## PART 892—FEDERAL FLEXIBLE BENEFITS PLAN: PRE-TAX PAYMENT OF HEALTH BENEFITS PREMIUMS

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### Subpart A—Administration and General Provisions

#### § 892.101 Definitions.

*Days* mean calendar days.

*Dependent* means a family member who is both eligible for coverage under the FEHB Program and a dependent as defined in section 152 of the Internal Revenue Code.

*FEHB Program* means the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program described in 5 U.S.C. 8901.

*Open Season* means the period of time each year as described in § 890.301(f) of this chapter when all individuals eligible for FEHB coverage have the opportunity to enroll or change their enrollment. These changes become effective with the first pay period that begins in the following year. For additional open seasons authorized by OPM, the effective date is specified.

*OPM* means the Office of Personnel Management.

*Qualifying life event* means an event that may permit changes to your FEHB enrollment as well as changes to your premium conversion election as described in Treasury regulations at 26 CFR 1.125-4 and includes the following:

(1) Change in family status that results in an increase or decrease in the